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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Tomohiro ISHIHARA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 2247
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For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR DRAWING OPTICAL FIBER

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office

Action dated June 22, 2004.